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Grant in Jerusalem.

BY REV. M. TRAFTON, D. D.

"No; no ovation for me in this city where my Savior was crucified."—[General Grant.

Speak not to me of banquets, of rich viands and red wine,
In this old sacred city, where was slain the Son divine;
No homage to me offer—to me, a sinful man—
Here where my Savior suffered and wrought out the wondrous plan.

Oh, what is human prowess on fields of mortal strife?
Or what the cause secured alone by sacrifice of life?
The conflicts of the ages are o'ershadowed by that hour,
When here the Son of God assailed alone Death's tyrant power,

I have fought a hundred battles midst sulphurous clouds and flame;
When death shots smote the air as smites the tempest's sleet and rain;
But never such a conflict has the sun e'er blushed to see,
As that in yonder garden which my Savior fought for me.

"A name!" Ah, yes, I know. I've heard the ringing, wild "hurrahs,"
When out from battle clouds emerged the glorious stripes and stars;
But here I see another crowd—I see the victim pale;
The brutal cry, "Away with Him!" borne on the evening gale.
I've seen the serried columns passing up the dizzy height,
Stern on through volleying thunders and death-hail's thickest flight;
'Twas not a time for weeping, nor e'en a thought of loss;
Now on yon hill, through tears, I see Him sink beneath His cross.

I've heard the shout of triumph of the millions on that day
When the last death-shot hail echoed and the war clouds rolled away;
But here I bow in anguish, as I hear that piercing cry,
"It is finished!" Ah, my Savior then bows his head to die!
Then not to me a sinner, yet a sinner saved by grace,
By whose stripes I am healed, be honors in this place;
Oh! here be no name honored on soil which He has trod
But that above all others—the glorious Son of God!

MISCELLANEOUS.

Behind the Panel.

A SOUTHERN STORY.

A wide, white forehead; above braids knotted with a white aster; pansy-dark eyes under curled black lashes. The lovely woman's face looking out of the oriel window held Captain Gordon Somers captive.

"Come, captain!" called a voice from the water below.

He made no response to startle the girl, for she had not seen him. The cool, oval face rested on the slender hand, and she was looking dreamily over the water.

"I say, cap, what keeps you? What have you found?"

He could have strangled Low, with his impatient bellowing, for now the fair face started and flushed, and, turning, Adelaide Westerly saw the intruder in her garden.

Captain Somers stepped forth, but without his usual ease and grace, and lifted his hat.

"I beg your pardon. Could we get some water here?"

"Yes, certainly. Knock at the south door, and my man will give you all you want."

She seemed startled out of an habitual sereinity, yet her voice had a strange softness and sweetness.

"I—we," continued the captain, "are in search of a strange boat which got adrift from the yacht Mermaid last night. We have been about here for three hours. It must have got oyer the bar and gone out to sea."

Low, lifting himself to look over the bank, saw how things were, and settled back resignedly in the dory.

"A small boat called the *Dolphin*?" asked Adelaide.

"Yes."

"With a book and spy-glass in it?"

"Yes," confessed Somers, ashamed of his seamanship. "I let it get away with me. I have charge of the yacht. There she is yonder," pointing to the offing.

"You will find your boat fastened to a post just inside the breakwater. My man Stephen picked it up last night. He is in the garden. Stay, I will call him."

She came down to the garden door—a beautiful young creature all in white—and found Captain Somers awaiting her, cap in hand. They went together down the overgrown paths, he holding the rose-vines aside to let her pass.

"I am giving you too much trouble."

"No. There is my man Stephen!"

The old man came up with his spade. He began telling how he had found the boat—for which the young gentleman did not care two straws, casting desperately about in his mind to learn how he was to meet Adelaide again.

She had already withdrawn to the terrace, and stood awaiting his final salutation.

She little dreamed the truth—sweet Lady of Shalot! She was looking fixedly at the fine, strong figure, the cool, sensitive blonde face, picturesque yachtsman's dress; she had inhaled the faint fragrance of cigars, felt the magnetism of this stranger's gentle touch as he put her dress aside from the thorns, and a feeling of pain she could not express visited her pure heart as she realized that in a minute he would be gone from her gaze.

And he went. With one backward glance from the fine blue eyes, with a gay and graceful salutation and a final call of thanks to the young lady, Captain Somers turned a bend of the rose-path and disappeared, followed by old Stephen. "A desperate venture," he muttered, "but my only chance!"

If, while unmooring the boat, he deftly questioned the old servitor of the Westerleys, old Stephen never told. But when he saw the two boats floating off shore, he chuckled over the bit of silver in his hand, and muttered. "Good luck to you, sir!"

The fair lady of Shalot went back to her bower. Perhaps the pretty chamber did not then look quite beautiful. Perhaps she, too, murmured, "I am half sick of shadows." It would not be at all strange.

This girl of twenty lived a strange isolated life. She was the last of her race living on the estate bequeathed to her in infancy by her dying father. A half-sister of her mother's, an aged woman called Aunt Resolve, was her only companion. She never entered society. She knew little of the world outside the beautiful gardens and shores of the Junipers.

But for old Aunt Resolve, the girl seemed to be wasting her sweetness on the desert air. The devoted old woman idolized her. From her babyhood she had dressed, watched and tended her. Perhaps it was a mistaken fondness that relieved the heiress of all care of her estate, for it required some management to make it yield an income for the family, and Adelaide suffered from ennui. Perhaps a little care would have been good for her. But Aunt Resolve thought differently, and the girl knew nothing of the oyster-beds and the crops that were hers.

The girl stood in the rose- path again upon the following evening, her garden-hat in her hand, her eyes unconsciously fixed upon the yacht Mermaid in the offing. She was in an unusually thoughtful mood. There had come to her for the first time the thought, whither her life was tending. To wear away the seasons from youth to age in uneventful monotony, her soul unsatisfied, did not suit her. But a spell, a fate, seemed upon her. Probably it would never be otherwise; and a sadness no words could express spread through all her consciousness.

A step upon the gravel. She turned and encountered the gleam of two blue eyes. Captain Somers bowed low.

"Your pardon; more missing property, Miss Westerly," he stammered.

"What *is it now*?" asked Adelaide, in amused *tones*.

"A *ring*, I dropped *yesterday*. Ah, here it is," stooping to hide a guilty blush, and immediately, with a strange good fortune, discovering a diamond ring at the edge of the grass plot.

He showed it to her—a diamond quaintly set; his property for fifteen years, he said, the gift of his dead mother.

The heiress of the Junipers was as guileless as a child. She never thought of fear; and what was there to suggest it in gentle words and courtly tones?

They chatted among the rose vines for a long hour. The young man made a practical use of time. With undue stress he told her who he was—the younger of two orphan brothers left early to find their fortunes. The elder had succeeded better than he; perhaps because less scrupulous. It was Godfrey's yacht Gordon commanded, for he was the better sailor of the two. He had no money, but he had not a vice, and the good will of all men.

And when he had gone, she found that he had left with her letters highly complimentary, recommending him to stations of trust, so that she was able to afford astonished and alarmed Aunt Resolve all the assurance she needed.

And now Adelaide was no longer alone. She had a lover.

Week after week the yacht Mermaid remained in the offing. Day by day the young people floated on the smooth summer tide, or strolled in the garden, or sang at the old piano songs ringing and full of sweetness.

Perhaps no happier hearts existed under the sun. Then Godfrey Somers sent for his yacht and Gordon must needs obey and speed North.

"O, Gordon, you will forget me!"

"Forget my little oriole? Never!—Child, you do not know how I love you. Wear this ring for me, Adelaide."

It was rich and yellow, and bore in deeply engraved characters the word "Always." And so they parted for a few weeks, betrothed lovers.

The summer waned, but Adelaide was so happy she did not mind when the rose petals fell and the fruit was gathered.

Aunt Resolve who watched her constantly now-a-days, saw that she was wrapped in a dream of bliss. Her nature of great sweetness was alive, and her lover and her love life was all to her.—And now, for Somers' sake—that was plain—she began to take an interest in the tasks and plans at the Junipers.

"Where does the money come from that pays the plantation hands for their work, Aunt Resolve?"

"They have their cabins and corn and sweet potato patches. I pay them small wages out of the fruit crop."

"What does that consist of?"

"Strawberries, pears, melons, and grapes."

"Where are they sold?"

"I send them North by the boats."

"What buys our food and dresses?"

"The oyster beds. They are a great deal of care, I assure you."

"For you. You have the care of every thing. Let me learn to help you, dear auntie; let me try to be useful."

And Adelaide grew busy, painstaking and thrifty. She was dusting an old cabinet one day when a panel, which had always seemed secure, slipped from its groove into her hand showing a cavity filled with compartments behind. In one was a bit of *folded* yellow paper. It was not worth disturbing at first Adelaide thought. At last, with reluctant curiosity, she drew it forth, unfolded and scanned its faded characters, and she read, her eyes dilated, her cheeks paled, she caught her breath.

Aunt Resolve was counting out money on the library table. Suddenly Adelaide all white and trembling, entered the room, the paper in her hand. "What have you there?"

Aunt Resolve had grown *suddenly* ghastly at the sight of the faded scrap. She snatched at the girl's wrist, and drew the paper toward her without touching it. She saw only too clearly the minute, quaint characters, clear as print, though the ink was faded. Then she pushed Adelaide away and turned aside her face.

The bewildered girl sank down upon the footstool at her feet.

"O, Aunt Resolve, what is it?"

"It is nothing," portioning off the silver with trembling hand. "The salt marsh hay must be cut now; so go away child; I am busy."

But the girl clung about her knees.

"O! this is my grandfather's name signed to this," she cried, "and I am homeless."

"Tut, tut!"

"Am I not the last of my race? His father gained it dishonestly, he says; and when his descendants shall have dwindled to a single one, let him or her dare to marry, but restore the estate to the rightful family, bestowing it upon the poorest member thereof,' quoted the girl, the words the paper ineffaceably stamped upon her memory.

Aunt Resolve groaned and her hands fell from their task.

"Child, child!" she cried, "how in the world came you to find it?"

"I was dusting the cabinet. It was behind a panel that fell down. I did not dare to touch it at first. Now I have read it all, and I know what it means—what I have to do, Aunt Resolve." And now the girl stood up.

"Your father gave it me for safe keeping. I never meant you to see it, Adelaide."

"That would have been wrong, auntie."

"No, no, dearie; you must marry and be happy."

The girl did not speak. She stood looking around the familiar room, and her eyes grew dark with agony. Evidently her resolve was taken.

"That dear old place—it seemed part of my very self. It was never before beautiful and dear as now, when it was to be my home and his. It has seemed lonely and irksome—it never would again And now I must give it up."

This was fixed as an unalterable law in her mind. The conditions being fulfilled which decreed it to another, the Junipers must forthwith pass into other hands.

There could be no doubt that Adelaide was heart-broken. She looked as if some terrible illness had settled upon her.—Aunt Resolve was utterly shattered by the girl's state; but now Adelaide was the stronger of the two in maintaining a settled purpose.

The latter had a guardian whom she saw annually. She now wrote to him, acquainting him with the message from the deceased, and briefly relinquishing the property, as she wished him to take steps to discover the former owners of the Junipers—a process which Aunt Resolve thought would be difficult, though she did not know them.

"I would have done it dear," she said, sick in bed. "I would have you live and die upon the old place. I fear—ah, I fear you will miss every thing now—for Captain Somers has no home, and will rove and forget you! It is human nature. These deferred marriages never turn out well. You know your marriage to him must be deferred, don't you, Adelaide?"

"Yes."

The girl uttered the one sad monosyllable, and said no more. And now the time was flying. Captain Somers she expected daily, for he had promised to return to her in less than a month. She finally brought herself to write to him, and told him what had happened. He made no reply.

This added a pang. She saw plainly how it would be. He could not provide for her adequately. Such support as he could afford her—and which she would gladly have accepted, sweet if shared with him—he would not offer. She must find a home in Florida, with some of her mother's unknown relations, and they would drift apart finally forever. Aunt Resolve was right.

A storm set in. Day by day the rain beat about the house, and the sighing of the wind filled the girl's heart with dread.

At last there came a letter from her guardian. It ran as follows:

"*My Dear Adelaide:*—I have been unusually fortunate in finding the right owner of the Junipers. He will make his appearance there Thursday, after which I will see you at an early day.

LUTHER MESSENGER."

Not a word of sympathy or regret. It seemed to Adelaide as if all the world had suddenly turned her enemy. And still another day the storm held. The Junipers tossed in the rainy wind, and the wild air had voices of cruel significance. Or was Adelaide's mind giving way under trouble? She had so anticipated such a far-reaching result that she seemed already deep in years of suffering.

Alone, one mournful evening, she was suddenly electrified by a coarse voice demanding: "Where is this 'ere woman that's been a keepin' me out of my lawful rights? I just want to set my eyes on her!

Was her home to go to such people? Her heart sank, but the heavy step came on.

Suddenly the door was flung open, and, smiling, there stood Captain Somers.

"Dearest, I have come!"

He caught her hands and drew her to her feet. She uttered a cry of delight, then broke into a sobbing sigh as she felt herself clasped to his breast.

"O, only to part, my beloved!"

"Not at all, my dear one; for I am the master of the Junipers. By your grandfathers decree, which bestows it upon the the poorest member of the defrauded family, it becomes mine; and next month sees our wedding."

And it was even so.

CONCILIATION INDEED.

A REBEL PRISON—PEN KEEPER HOLDING OFFICE IN TREASURY DEPARTMENT HIS RECORD.

Special to Cleveland Leader.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—To-day the attention of your correspondent was called to the political character of many of the employees of Secretary Sherman in the Treasury. It is well known that many rebels are enjoying fat salaries there, to the exclusion of loyal men; but here is a case of infamy that the people of Ohio should thoroughly understand. The Union soldier who is my informant says that there is a man in the Treasury named Major Griswold, who draws a salary of $1,800 per year, and that is one those monsters who during the war, had charge of a rebel prison-pen. The official report on the treatment of prisoners during the war shows Griswold to have this record:

On page 199 it is stated that Major Griswold was in command, in 1864, at the Columbia, S. C. prison, and is stated to have encouraged the guard to shoot prisoners. The prisoners remonstrated with Major Griswold, who refused even to remove the murderers from their posts. Twelve hundred prisoners were in confinement here at one time.

On page 1,152, in the sworn testimony of C. G. Jackson, Captain of Company H, 84th Pennsylvania volunteers, occur these lines: "At Columbia, S. C. prison, I saw Lieutenant Bayne of an Ohio regiment, the 94th, I think, shot down by the guard without color of justification. Major Griswold, commander of the prison, when appealed to for redress, refused it. I frequently saw packs of dogs set on the trail of escaped prisoners.

On page 831 Lieutenant Dunn, of Massachusetts, swears: "One of our officers stood two feet inside the dead line and the guard said, 'Get back.' He replied that he was not over the dead line. The guard deliberately drew up his gun and shot him dead. The officer's name was Lieutenant Turbane, of the 84th New York Volunteers. Application was made to the commander of the camp, Major Griswold, in regard to the sentinel, but no satisfaction was received. The guard was kept on duty."

On page 1,134 Captain D. M. Porter of Illinois, swears: "At Columbia South Carolina, I carried wood half a mile on the frozen ground, barefoot. Sometimes they would claim a prisoner had stolen a meal sack, and would withold our rations or three days. I am a cripple today from rheumatism. Major Griswold was in command of this prison, and he is the most inhuman wretch I ever saw."

Such is the kind of a man who is law clerk to the solicitor of the Treasury of the United States! The writer has seen this individual, who acknowledges that he is the Major Griswold described above. Secretary Sherman has had all these facts called to his attention, yet Griswold still waxes fat at the public crib, while many a poor Union soldier suffers in neglect. Griswold is one of the scores of rebels in the Treasury. It is understood that the Grand Army are to set these facts before the country ere long.

Interesting to Smokers.

Straw paper has increased in price seventy-five per cent since last October. There are two reasons for this remarkable advance. First, a scarcity of straw, and second an extraordinary demand for straw paper from Cuba, single orders being received for 100,000 reams at a time. And what do you think it is used for? It is saturated in a decoction made from the stems and refuse of the choice Havana seed leaf tobacco, and when properly treated with flavoring extracts, licorice root, senna, &c. made into filling for cigars. It burns with a pure white ash precisely like that of the genuine leaf, unlike that yielded by any other material.

THE "divinity that doth hedge a king" is but lightly considered by the Nihilists of Russia, who have made so many unsuccessful attempts upon the life of the Czar. That they are terribly in earnest is evidenced by the late attempt to kill the whole Imperial family. The terrible explosion, which cost a dozen soldiers their lives, was intended to take place when the family was at the dinner-table. Fortunately the cook was behind time, or from some other cause, the dinner was delayed and the royal family saved. The failure of repeated attempts at regicide, made upon almost every crowned head of Europe, seems remarkable, and would lead superstitious people to look upon the "Lord's annointed" as having some special protection.

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Twenty years of continued and successful practice warrants me in promising full satisfaction.

Parties wishing dental services at their homes can be accommodated promptly by dropping me a postal card.

Will be at Smethport
At the Wright House
March 26 and 27th, 1880.

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A FARM on Cole Creek. Inquire of D. C. Young, Larrabee, or of Mrs. A. E. TAYLOR, Smethport.
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LIFE INSURANCE AGENTS
WANTED.

A first-class Life Insurance Company in New York wants SPECIAL, GENERAL and LOCAL AGENTS, in unoccupied territory in the State of Pennsylvania. Address MANAGER OF AGENCIES, Box 100, New York Post Office.
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Specht & Sasse.

We are now settled in our new store and are prepared to furnish the people of [illegible] vicinity and the county with

FURNITURE
of all kinds and of
PRICE AND QUALITY
to suit the purchaser.
Undertaking in all its branches.

Friends and patrons are invited to
CALL AND SEE US
in our location, and
Look at our Stock
SPECHT & SASSE,
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☞ OF ALL KINDS,
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SILVER-WARE
The Best Made.
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A Full Assortment.
SPECTACLES
AND
EYE-GLASSES,
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And all Goods in my line for which I will DUPLICATE any REGULAR DEALERS Prices.
I Will match the
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against the world for time and money
All kinds of
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a specialty, and all work WARRANTED.
Call and See us.
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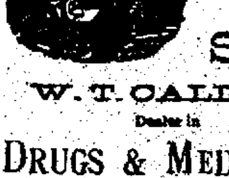

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JOB WORK of all kinds done on short notice and at reasonable rates.
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I have rented the Tin Shop formerly occupied by M. A. Sprague, Smethport, Pa., and will keep constantly on hand a first class assortment of

Tin, Copper and Sheet-Iron Ware.

Job work a specialty. All work warranted first class. Give me a call. D. TUCKER.

THE McKEAN MINER.

Smethport, Pa., March 11, 1880.

H. F. BARBOUR, Editor.

Republican State Ticket.

JUDGE OF THE SUPREME COURT,
HENRY GREEN, of Northampton.

AUDITOR GENERAL,
JOHN A. LEMON, of Blair.

PERSONAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

On the first day of November, 1871, the undersigned assumed a one-half interest with Mr. E. H. Bard in the labors, and at that time very uncertain, profits of publishing the McKEAN COUNTY MINER. On the first day of November, 1873, we purchased Mr. Bard's interest. On Tuesday morning we transferred by sale the entire property, including the lot and building to the possession of Mr. Bard. When we first assumed entire possession of the MINER it was, as it had been for years, the only paper published in the county, and even with this advantage was not considered a very valuable property. Since that time the county has prospered, the population has been quadrupled, and eight additional newspapers have been established, all having every appearance of being prosperous. Certainly no county in the State of the same population can boast of so many well printed, well edited and well supported newspapers. The MINER has kept pace with the growth of the county, and is to-day one of the best equipped and thoroughly established newspaper properties in the State.

It is with mingled feelings of relief and regret that we lay down the reins of proprietorship and management. The real growth of the paper has been during our control of it, and while we are not so egotistical as to believe that it has been due to that fact, yet we have been proud of it, proud of the increase of its influence and strength of position and of each needed improvement that we have been able to add to the capacity of the office. We will therefore never cease to hold an affection for the MINER somewhat akin to that of a parent for a child, and will always feel a deep interest in its welfare and success.

In this connection we wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all those of our friends and patrons to whose support and assistance we are indebted for any success we may have acquired during the past eight years of our labors on the MINER. We shall always hold them in grateful remembrance.

The new proprietor needs no endorsement at our hands. He has been connected with the paper since its first establishment, in every capacity of service, and has earned a reputation as a good printer, a ready, spicy writer, and an upright, honorable business man. We are confident that under his management the paper will retain its position among the best weekly papers in the State, and that it will deserve all and more support and patronage than ever before, and we certainly hope it will receive it.

We retain until the first of January the management and control of the political department of the paper, and hope to be able, by reason of being relieved from all other responsibility and care connected with the paper, to give to that department all the attention it requires, at least much more than we have been able to heretofore.

H. F. BARBOUR.

The State Finances.

The report of the Auditor General for the fiscal year ending Nov. 30, 1879, has been made public. It is the most thorough and comprehensive document of the kind ever issued from the auditing department of the State government. It gives full details of the revenues and expenditures of the State for the last fiscal year, with statements showing the assessment of State tax in the several counties, with the population and number of taxable inhabitants of each county, the several public loans, with rates of interest and when reimbursable and payable, the funded and unfunded debt of the Commonwealth, and other important fiscal statistics.

The receipts at the treasury during the last fiscal year wear $7,422,863.90, of which amount $3,030,002.83 were the proceeds of loans. The expenses of the State government during the same time were $3,597,716.60. Loans were redeemed to the amount of $1,684,950 and $1,345,894.50 were paid in interest on loans. The balance in the treasury Dec. 1, 1879, was $1,914,831.81. Of this balance the sinking fund held $1,202,642.18 and general fund $712,189.74. The Auditor General expresses the opinion that the act of June 7, 1879, will largely increase the revenues, and that if the taxes imposed under it are collected, the present deficiency in the treasury will be covered, as well as the current expenses of the government. Under the act of 1879, requiring all corporations to register in the Auditor General's office, about 4,700 have reported, of which 3,393 are taxables. Of these there are 1,041 domestic corporations, 191 foreign, 340 banks, State and national, 242 limited partnerships and 988 building and loan associations.

Legislative Bribery Cases.

The trial of eleven persons indicted for corrupt solicitation of members of the Legislature in connection with the act to appropriate $4,000,000 to pay losses incurred by railroad riots, began at Harrisburg Monday. Salter and Crawford pleaded guilty. Kemble entered a plea of guilty, and protested that he never made corrupt offers to the persons named in the indictment. The Judge doubted the legality of this form of plea, and the plea was temporarily withdrawn. Rumberger also pleaded guilty. Long's case was continued.

Subsequently the counsel for Kemble entered a plea of guilty, but with the leave of the court filed a protest that this is not to be construed into an admission that the defendant made corrupt offers.

AN ISTHMUS CANAL MESSAGE.

PRESIDENT HAYES FAVORS AMERICAN CONTROL.

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The President to-day sent the following to the Senate:

I transmit herewith the report of the Secretary of State and the accompanying papers in response to the resolution adopted by the Senate on the 11th of February last, requesting "copies of all correspondence between this Government and any foreign government since February, 1869, respecting a ship canal across the isthmus between North America and South America, together with copies of any project of treaties respecting the same which the Department of State may have proposed or submitted since that date to any foreign power or its diplomatic representatives."

In compliance with the resolutions of the Senate, I deem it proper to state briefly my opinion as to the policy of the United States in respect to the construction of an inter-oceanic canal by any route across the American isthmus. The policy of this country is a canal under American control. The United States cannot consent to surrender this control to any European power, or any combination of European powers. If the existing treaties between the United States and other nations, or if the rights of sovereignty or property of other nations stand in the way of this policy, a contingency which is not apprehended, suitable steps should be taken by just and liberal negotiations to promote and establish the American policy on this subject consistently with the rights of the nation to be affected by it. The capital invested by corporations or citizens of other countries in such an enterprise must in a great degree look for protection to one or more of the great powers of the world. No European power can intervene for such protection without adopting measures on this continent which the United States would deem wholly inadmissable. If the protection of the United States is relied upon, the United States must exercise such a control as will enable this country to protect its national interests, and maintain the rights of those whose private capital is embarked in the work. An inter-oceanic canal across the American isthmus will essentially change the geographical relations between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of the United States, and between the United States and the rest of the world. It will be a great ocean thoroughfare between our Atlantic and Pacific shores, and virtually part of the coast line of the United States. Our merely commercial interest in it is greater than that of all other countries, while its relations to our power and prosperity as a nation, to our means of defence, our unity, peace, and safety are matters of paramount consideration to the people of the United States. No other great power would, under circumstances, fail to assert a rightful control over a work so closely and vitally affecting its interest and welfare. Without urging further grounds of my opinion, I repeat, in conclusion, that it is the right and duty of the United States to assert and maintain such supervision over any inter-oceanic canal across the Isthmus that connects North and South America as will protect our National interests. This I am quite sure will be found not only compatible with, but promotive of, the widest and most permanent advantage to commerce and civilization.

(Signed) RUTHERFORD B. HAYES.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, March 5.

Greatly to the surprise, and truth compels me to add, to the satisfaction of this community the jury in the Hirth murder trial after having been out about forty hours, came in Monday morning with a verdict of guilty against each of the three men arraigned. The clerk of the court, who was present during the whole trial, remarked yesterday to your correspondent that there was sufficient doubt as to the guilt of two of the parties to render it a matter of surprise that the jury should have agreed at all. This was the first case in which the new District Attorney, Col. Corkhill, had appeared as public prosecutor. In the closing address, which fell to him, he made a powerful use of the fact that blood had been found on the clothes of each of the prisoners. "Lock the door of this court room," said he "and examine the clothing of every person in this large assemblage, and I venture the assertion that you will not find human blood on the garments of a single individual." The clerk in the conversation referred to, said that it was the blood found upon them, which convicted the three fellows. The jury was composed of about an equal number of white and colored man, of whom one of the latter was foreman.

A terrible revolting outrage, the details of which are unfit for publication, but similar to those for which three black men have been lynched this winter in neighboring counties of Maryland and Virginia, was committed a few nights ago in the northeastern section of the city. The victim was a young woman from the country who had been staying a few days with some friends here, and who at the time was on her way to church. So frightfully was she injured, and so severe was the strain upon her nervous system, that for a day at least, it was thought doubtful whether she would survive the shock, and even now she remains in a very precarious condition. A negro bearing the suggestive name of Smothers is in jail charged with the perpetration of this horrible deed, and circumstances point very strongly to him as the guilty party. He is a tall, burly Ethiopian, and is believed to be the beast who has committed a number of such outrages in the same section, for one of which a colored man named Cephas Jones is now serving a thirty years term in the Albany penitentiary. This affair has created a more intense feeling here than anything of the kind that has ever before occurred. There is little doubt that could the crowd of not less than a thousand excited men which followed the prisoners' van to the jail, have got Smothers into their possession, they would have quickly strung him to the nearest lamp-post. The young man to whom the girl is engaged to marry, sought an interview with the chief of police for the purpose of having the negro taken into her presence, ostensibly for indentification. That officer declined to accept the request, being of the opinion that it was only a ruse to get Smothers into the hands of a mob.

The Government receipts from customs were never before so large as at the present time, they frequently amounting to over a million dollars in a single day. The aggregate of last Saturday's and Monday's collections was about $2,200,000 and of Wednesday over $1,400,000. Two or three important facts are proven by this, one is that every business interest is reviving with an impetus all the greater for the stagnation of the past few years; another that our people are as prone as ever, when prosperity comes, to indulge in luxuries. With foreign goods pouring in at the rate indicated by the above figures, the balance of trade, upon which we have been congratulating ourselves of late, will soon have become a thing of the past. In fact within the past two months our imports have exceeded our exports by the sum of $27,000,000.

A great deal of unnecessary wind has been expended upon the subject of the proposed canal across the Isthmus of Darien and the importance of a re-assertion of the Monroe doctrine in connection therewith. The House select committee charged with the duty of considering this matter has about come to the only conclusion to which common sense would lead, to wit: that the Columbian government has the right to permit the construction of a canal across its territory by De Lesseps or anybody else so long as the power and the commerce of the United States are not jeopardized thereby. They have also discovered what a good many newspaper scribblers and legislature declaimers seem to have forgotten, that there is another doctrine to which this Government stands committed the principle of non-intervention in the affairs of other nations. De Lesseps arrived here this afternoon and the banqueting with which his stay in New York was characterised will probably be repeated here.

The Fitz John Porter case has come to the surface in the Senate. On Monday Senator Randolph, who for many years has been the intimate friend of the disgraced General, advocated the bill for his relief in a two hours speech, and on Tuesday and Wednesday Senator Logan spoke in opposition. The argument of the latter was mainly a legal one, based on the assumption that the finding of the court of 1863 were final; that the President had no authority to order another court to review its actions, but that he could have issued a pardon. Porter sat in the gallery during the delivery of Senator Logan's speech.

Jessie Raymond entered suit in the District Circuit Court on Tuesday against Senator Hill of Georgia, claiming $10,000 on an allegation that he had led her from the path of virtue in Nov., 1877, the result of which was the birth of a boy August 1st, 1878, which she has christened Thomas Benjamin Hill. The suit will not be reached before Christmas. Senator Hill denies that there is any ground for bringing action. He declares that it is a case of blackmail and that he will have every person connected with it arrested for an infamous conspiracy to extort money from him. The woman on the other hand swears that the Senator has heretofore freely paid her small sums but not enough to recompense her for the loss of reputation, and support of her child.

Wm. H. Vanderbilt has just had registered at the Treasury $5,000,000 in four per cent bonds, which with those previously registered in his name amount to $31,500,000. William seems to be frugally inclined and it is to be hoped that with the $1,260,000 that he will annually receive from these bonds, together with the income which he derives from his remaining $60,000,000 he will be able to keep the wolf from the door.

About 1400 of the employees of the Government Printing Office were furloughed on Wednesday, that is, they were given a leave of absence for which they had not applied. Mr. Defrees, the Government Printer states that this became necessary on account of so large a portion of his appropriation having been expended in consequence of the extra session, for which no provisions had been made.

Tables recently prepared at the P. O. Department, show that for the seven months ending January 31, 1880, the stamps issued were in value $19,400,000. Compared with the same portion of the previous fiscal year this is a gain of $2,872,590, or an increase of about 14 per cent.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

The Bitters invariably remedy yellowness of the complexion and whites of the eyes, pains in the right side and under the right shoulder blade, furred tongue, high colored urine, nausea, vertigo, dyspepsia, constipation, heaviness of the head, mental despondency, and every other manifestation or accompaniment of a disordered condition of the liver. The stomach, bowels and kidneys also experience their regulating influence. For sale by all druggists and dealers generally.

Land Office of the Bingham Estate.

WELLSBOROUGH, Penn'a, Feb'y 25, 1879.

All persons are hereby cautioned against going upon the unsold lands of this estate without proper authority therefor. An unauthorized entry upon the lands of the estate, by any person, for any purpose, will make such person or persons liable to prosecution for trespass.

Persons who have bought or leased lands of this estate have deeds, contracts, or leases. The deeds give exact descriptions of the lands to which they refer, and the contracts and leases have in them drafts which show their location. All claims to rights or privileges on lands of this estate, unaccompanied by such evidence, are without foundation, and will not be recognized.

ROBT. C. SIMPSON,
Agent of the Trustees.

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JOB PRINTING executed with neatness and dispatch. We are constantly adding to our already well stocked Job Department all the latest styles of type and facilities for the ing fancy printing.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy, for the speedy and permanent cure for consumption, bronchitis, catarrh, asthma, and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for nervous debility and all nervous complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive, and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send, free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, with full directions for preparing and using, in German, French, or English. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. W. Sherar, 149 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

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At the BRICK STORE, Cor. Main and Fulton Streets,

CAN ALWAYS BE FOUND

The best stock of STOVES,
RANGES AND TINWARE.
The best stock of NAILS, IRON
AND BUILDERS' HARDWARE.
The best stock of OILS VARNISHES
AND WHITE LEAD.
The best stock of LAMPS,
TABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY.
The best stock of WOODEN WARE,
BROOMS AND GLASS.
SILVER AND PLATED WARE
A Specialty.

REMEMBER—I can't call on you individually, take your orders and then send for the goods. But I CARRY A STOCK for the benefit of my customers, and I will not be undersold for cash.

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WHY DO YOU
Go away from home to
BUY HARNESS GOODS
when you can get
BETTER BARGAINS AT HOME.

LOOK AT THESE PRICES:

Single Harness,	$12 and upwards.
Double Harness,	$35 and upwards.

These goods are all hand-made by first-class workmen and with first-class material, using both Hemlock and Oak tanned leather.

CALL AT MY SHOP and I will convince you that I can do better by you than can any foreign dealers.

I. S. GLEASON

Smethport, Pa., April 21, 1879.

FRESH MILK

Delivered every Morning

THE undersigned having established a regular route for the supply of fresh milk to the people of Smethport and vicinity, solicits the patronage of the community.

GEO. W. KING.

W. S. BROWNELL & SONS,
Dealer in
Dry Goods & Groceries,
Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Etc.
SMETHPORT, PENN'A.

MILK! MILK! MILK!

The undersigned takes pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Smethport and vicinity that his arrangements are finally completed, and that on Monday, February 2, he will establish a

NEW MILK ROUTE!
Pure, Fresh and Rich Milk.
At 5 Cents a Quart

until Spring, when the price will be reduced. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

Wm. Ramer.

Smethport, Pa., Jan'y 30, 1880-tf.

Specht & Sasse,
PRACTICAL UNDERTAKERS,

Having purchased an elegant new Hearse, are prepared to attend all calls incident to their profession.

ENGINEERING AND SURVEYING.

The undersigned having resumed the practice of his profession as civil engineer and surveyor would respectfully announce that he has opened an office over Cellar's Drug Store. Especial attention given to

Mapping and Conveyancing.

Orders promptly attended to and work carefully and neatly executed.

Office over Cellar's Drug Store. } THOS. KING.
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LEGAL.

List of Jurors

Drawn for the Fifth Monday of March.

OYER AND TERMINER.

Annin—H S Gleason, S R June, Dennis Lane, John Murphy.
Bradford township—R F Buchanan, W Coldion, H B Dollopp, Jasper Morris.
Bradford City—E J Carow, J B Fisher, S A Groves, R T Hazzard.
Ceres—Thomas Cantwell, L D Coon, C B Wilbur.
Corydon—O B [illegible].
Duke Center—[illegible]rnthal, E Hersey
Eldred—R L Camfield, Seth Rockwell, C M Slack, Fred Zimmer.
Hamlin—Joseph Fields
Kendall—Jonas Artley, D H Cobb, R Hale, Pat Mulqueen.
Keating—G N Barrett, Chas. Beckwith, A H Cory, Thos Connelly, Augustus Day, Wm. Ormsby.
Liberty—L J Gallup, F J Tefft
Lafayette—F L Aldrich, Reuben Gates
Norwich—W W Brewer, Wm Marsh
Smethport—Geo R Brownell, Byron Badger, Chas. Blindberry, E V Chadwick, Frank Corwin, Daniel Forsyth, W W Ostrander
Sergeant—James Sullivan
Wetmore—John Griffith.

ESTATE OF PETER YERDON, LATE OF Keating township, deceased.

Letters of administration upon the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having claims against the same will present them for payment, and those indebted thereto will please make immediate payment.

14-19 J. A. YERDON, Adm'r.

Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after Wednesday April 14, 1880, the Equitable Petroleum, Limited, will be dissolved. Parties having claims against said Company will please present them at once.

S. P. ROYER,
16-21 Sec'y and Treasurer.
Bradford, Pa., March 4, 1880.

Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the name of Dibel & Wood is this day dissolved by mutual consent. [illegible]

Smethport, Pa., March 4, 1880.

MISCELLANEOUS.

H. W. RUBIN,
Dealer in
GOLD AND SILVER
WATCHES,
Jewelry and
Silverware,

Having employed a first-class Watchmaker, I am now prepared to do all manner of work belonging to the trade.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

I have also on hand a fine assortment of

LADIES' and GENTS'
FURNISHING GOODS.
Smethport, PA.

COME TO STAY!
BergstresseR,
THE ARTIST,

Has returned to Smethport, and is ready to take the pictures of the people by wholesale or retail. He has come to stay, and will furnish

PHOTOGRAPHS
OR
FERREOTYPES
Life-Like and Well Finished,

to old and new patrons, at reasonable rates. For the present he will occupy the old "Side Hill Gallery" until he can put up a new building.

CARRIAGES
AND
WAGONS

Built and Repaired at
F. KERNS'
WAGON MANUFACTURY,
Water St., SMETHPORT, PA.

Having engaged a competent man to superintend the wood work of my Carriage and Wagon Shops I am prepared to take orders for

LIGHT AND HEAVY WAGONS,
of every description, also
WAGONS AND BUGGIES
REPAINTED,
and new work finished complete.
REPAIRING A SPECIALTY,

and all orders for work in that line, either in Wood or Iron will receive prompt attention.

Satisfaction Guaranteed

in every particular, both as to workmanship and prices. Give us a trial.

F. KERNS, Prop'r.

The Purest and Best Medicine ever made.

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Remember, Hop Bitters is no vile, drugged, drunken nostrum, but the Purest and Best Medicine ever made; the "Invalid's Friend and Hope," and no person or family should be without them.

Get some this day.

Hop Cough Cure is the sweetest, safest and best. Ask Children.

The Hop Pad for Stomach, Liver and Kidneys is superior to all others. Cures by absorption. Ask druggists.

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Sold by druggists. Hop Bitters Mfg. Co., Rochester, N.Y. Send for Circular.

$1000 REWARD For any case of Blind, Bleeding, Itching or Ulcerated Piles that Dr. Bing's Pile Remedy fails to cure. Gives immediate relief, cures cases of long standing in 1 week, and ordinary cases in 2 days. CAUTION None genuine unless yellow wrapper has printed on it in black a Pile of Stones and Dr. J. P. Miller's signature, Phila. $1 a bottle. Sold by all druggists. Sent by mail by J. P. Miller, M. D., Prop'r, S. W. cor. Tenth and Arch Sts., Phila., Pa.

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THE McKEAN MINER.

Smethport, Pa., March 11, 1880.

E. H. BARD, Editor and Proprietor.

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PERSONAL.

By announcement elsewhere made it will be seen that with this issue the subscriber becomes publisher and proprietor of this paper. For the most part of the past eighteen years we have been connected with the MINER in one capacity or another, though during the last seven years have had no hand in its control. In 1873 we sold our interest in the paper to Mr. Barbour, and although at that time it was the only paper published in the county its patronage and prospects were not then considered by us of sufficient importance to induce us to remain longer in the concern. Smethport was a slow-going village without railroad facilities or any particular prospects of future growth. Material internal improvements and the great oil developments which are seen all about us and for which our county is now so famous, were at the time of our connection with the paper things entirely unlooked for and unthought of. But our prophecies as to future events proved wide of the mark. Very soon thereafter our quiet village was awakened from its slumbers by the shrill whistle of the locomotive and from that time on seemed to leap forward with renewed energy and life, and to-day the outlook for its substantial and continued prosperity and growth is as bright as that of any town in the State. Still later, by persistent efforts and a sanguine belief that petroleum existed within the county limits, the coveted fluid was found and from that hour no portion of the country has taken more rapid strides in population and business prosperity, and at this time it is acknowledged to be the greatest oil territory in the world—its productions being greater than any other yet developed.

With the multiplicity of the various industries and enterprises and the rapid increase of population, the newspapers have not fallen behind in numbers and character. From one they have increased to nine, all of which will compare favorably with those published in any county within our knowledge. The MINER, by careful management and reasonably fair support, has become one of the best and brightest papers in the State, and if we can hold it up to its present standard of excellence we shall be more than satisfied and feel certain its patrons will be. In this connection we are pleased to state to the readers and friends of the paper that we have made arrangements with Mr. Barbour by which he will remain as political editor of the MINER for this year at least, a fact which is not only gratifying to us, on account of his well known *ability* as a journalist, but will also be to his old friends and patrons.

The political complexion of the paper will not be changed. While it will be the staunch exponent of Republican principles it will accord to all opponents the courtesy which they deserve.

With these brief introductory remarks we place ourself in the hands of our friends and patrons. We shall do our utmost to make the paper second to none in this section in ability and usefulness, in return for which we ask for a continuance of support and good will.

E. H. BARD.

HERE AND HEREABOUTS.

—Dr. J. T. Reilly, of New York, is visiting friends in this borough.

—Insure your life with W. H. Mandeville, Olean, N. Y. tf

—There seems to be at this writing a good prospect of having six week's sleighing in March.

—None but reliable insurance companies represented by W. H. Mandeville. tf.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Blakeslee and family, of Olean, are visiting Mrs. B.'s sister, at the residence of C. S. King.

—Those nobby spring suits at Haskill & Giffords are just what you want. Look at them.

—There will be services by the pastor as usual in the M. E. Church next Sunday morning and evening.

—Frank Kerns has purchased a lot on Water street west of the Baptist parsonage, to which he will remove his wagon and blacksmith shop.

—First class board, by the day or week, can be procured at J. K. O'dell's boarding house, on Green street, immediately in the rear of the Academy.

—The Friendship *Register* has picked up wonderfully within the past few weeks. Helme is showing what he can do when forced by competition.

—Elbert, a five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Andrews, residing near the depot, died yesterday, of meningitis, after two weeks of great suffering.

—The stone cutting on the new Court House is so far advanced that the contractor was able to dispense with a number of his workmen on Monday.

—Go to A. B. Armstrong's for Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color are unequalled. Color from 2 to 5 pounds. Price 15 cents.

—C. H. Foster and wife and P. T. Kennedy left Bradford on Monday for New York city and will take steamer from there for Florida, where they will sojourn two months.

—The somewhat noted E. B. Haines, who essayed to start a Democratic paper in this place several years ago, and has since for a few years published the Williamsport *Banner*, has been found guilty of adultery in the Lycoming county court.

—Rev. Whiteside, pastor of the M. E. church at Eldred, received $325 in cash at a donation recently held for his benefit. The Eldred people are generous givers.

—Brother Hughes slipped over to Smethport on Tuesday to announce the fact that he was the happy father of a son and heir, and to set up the cigars on the occasion. He is entitled to abundant congratulations.

—It is reported that a new brick building will be erected early in the coming season on the lot adjoining C. S. King's store, and that it will be occupied by M. H. Picard as a bakery and confectionery store and first class ladies' and gentlemen's restaurant.

—John Digel has purchased the Cornforth house and lot on Water street, and has sold his interest in the firm of Digel & Wind to his former partner and Mr. Chas. Kreuger. Mr. Wind is a first class wagon maker and Mr. Kreuger has no superior as a blacksmith, and thus the new firm will be a strong one.

—Hon. John Cessna, Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, has appointed Lucius Rogers as secretary of the committee for 1880. The headquarters of the organization will likely be in Harrisburg entirely until after the nominations have been made at Chicago.

—Richard I. Mould, who has been in the employ of the MINER office for nearly a year past, has taken out his first naturalization papers and renounced allegiance to Queen Victoria. "Dick" will make a creditable American citizen, and what is Victoria's loss will be Uncle Sam's gain.

—Charles E. Smith, late editor of the Albany *Evening Journal*, has succeeded Edward McPherson in the editorial management of the Philadelphia *Press*. The latter retired Saturday last, and next week he will take up his residence in Washington to attend to his clerical duties.

—The New York *Tribune* says that experts have completed the collection of evidence against Tilden in the income-tax suits, and the case will be put on the trial calendar of the United States Circuit Court of that *district*. It is understood that Tilden's known deficit on his income tax amounts to $80,000.

—Any shortcomings noticeable in this issue of the MINER may be charged to the fact that both the old and new proprietor have had about all the business they could well attend to in making necessary arrangements for the transfer of the establishment. Everything will be running smoothly in a few days, when we will be entirely at the service of our patrons.

—Mr. F. G. Stebbins, editor of the Cuba *Patriot*, has been appointed by the President as Consul to Manilla, the chief capital of the Philipine Islands. He expects to leave in about a month to assume the duties of the position. Mrs. Stebbins is to accompany him. Mr. S. hopes to receive material benefit to his impaired health, and his many friends will wish him a happy journey and the best of success.

—W. A. Rowland editor of the Mansfield *Advertiser*, is preparing a memorial book of the late Prof. F. A. Allen. He expects to have it ready about commencement time. It will contain a short biographical sketch, an account of Prof. Allen's sickness, death and funeral services, the resolutions passed by different bodies throughout the State, and much other matter of an interesting and valuable nature.

—As showing the way some people manage to get ahead in Bradford, the case of one of our prominent bakers may be cited. Two years ago he arrived with two dollars in his pocket, bought a barrel of flour on time and began making the staff of life in a very humble way. To-day $3,500 would be no inducement for him to sell out, his business is constantly increasing and he talks of opening a branch store.—*Era.*

—We understand that a democratic friend living a few miles out of town insists that the MINER is a "patent outside" sheet, that is, one side printed in a foreign city. To satisfy our friend that every line of type, inside or outside, of this paper is set up and printed right here, at home, we invite him to come up and spend a week with us and be convinced. We are more surprised at his assertion from the fact that he is an old-time printer and if he has not forgotten his cunning ought to know better than to make such an error.

—Potter county having awoke from her slumber of centuries, perceiving the fact that to keep pace with her sister counties she must do something in the way of producing minerals for the use of the outside world, has induced some New York parties to form a company and prospect for minerals within her borders. The company is called the Germania Mining Company, they have secured large leases of land and while they prospect for other minerals, Joe Morgan, our townsman, will drill one or more wells in search of petroleum. The first well will be drilled in the neighborhood of the village of Germania some 20 miles or more from Coudersport.—*Bradford Star.*

Dress Up.

The sun is getting warm, the birds will soon begin to sing, the buds to start, the flowers to bloom, and your winter suit to look shabby. Step into Haskill & Giffords and look at their new stock of ready made clothing for spring wear. Don't go looking so when a very few dollars will put you in good shape.

Our New Head.

We flatter ourselves that the appearance of the MINER is greatly improved by the new and tasty title head with which it is surmounted. A change in the make-up of the paper has been contemplated for some time, and we have only waited the arrival of the new head, which has been in the hands of the engraver for several weeks. The vignette in the center shows in the foreground an exact representation of our new Court House as it will appear when completed. On either side are shown coal cars and oil derricks and tanks, representing our more important productions—coal and oil. In the rear loom up those everlasting hills for which our county is famous. We are much pleased with the work of the engraver, and have no doubt the change will be pleasing to our patrons.

The Amateur Dramatic Association.

For several weeks a number of the young people of the borough have been hard at work organizing an Amateur Dramatic Association and preparing for a series of entertainments. They have secured the use of the old Masonic Hall; which they have fitted up in excellent taste, with every arrangement for the proper rendering of the plays in contemplation. Comfortable and ample seating arrangements have been made for the audience, and the hall will be well lighted. At one end of the room ample space is devoted to the stage accommodations. On either side of the stage is a commodious green-room, one for the use of the ladies and the other for the gentlemen. The stage is furnished with every needed appliance, footlights, drop curtains and shifting scenery. The scenery is painted expressly for the occasion; with scenes appropriate to the character of the plays. The Association will give their first entertainments on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of next week, opening with a rendering of the popular melo-drama entitled "The Charcoal Burner; or the Dropping Well of Knaresborough." The evening's entertainment will be concluded with the laughable farce of "The Limerick Boy." The price of admission is fixed at 25 cents; reserved seats, 35 cents. On Wednesday afternoon a matinee performance will be given for the pleasure of the school children, at which the price of admission will be 15 cents. The members of the association have labored hard to give the people of Smethport an enjoyable entertainment and they should be rewarded with a rousing benefit.

Re-Dedication of the Baptist Church.

On Tuesday afternoon last services commenced in the Baptist church of this place for the purpose of re-dedication and the examination and ordination of Rev. W. C. Wiltse as pastor. The introductory prayer was offered by Rev. B. H. Deyman, and the Dedicatory sermon by Rev. G. W. Varnum, of Franklinville. In the evening Mr. Wiltse was examined as to his theological views and doctrine which was passed successfully.

On Wednesday morning the ordination sermon was preached by the Rev. D. D. Brown, of Olean. The prayer was offered by Rev. R. Cherryman, of Hinsdale, and the laying on of hands by the Rev's, B. H. Deyman, O. F. Schoonover and C. H. Mitchellmore. The charge to the candidate was delivered by Rev. G. W. Varnum, and the charge to the church by the Rev. C. H. Mitchellmore. In the afternoon ministers conference convened. The opening sermon was delivered by Rev. B. H. Deyman, following by general criticism. In the evening after a sermon by Rev. C. H. Dodd, two essays were read by Rev. G. W. Varnum. 1st, "The Jewish Sabbath not the christian Sabbath." 2d, "The christian Sabbath, or the first day of the week."

On Thursday morning the conference adjourned to meet at Eldred on the first Tuesday in June in connection with the Sabbath school convention.

At the close of the sermon on Tuesday afternoon a collection was taken up to pay off the standing debt on the parsonage and church property and over $250 were collected.

ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

CULLED FROM THE REPORT OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL.

The following companies, doing business wholly or in part in McKean county, paid into the State Treasury as follows:

TAX ON CORPORATION STOCK.	
Bradford Oil Company	$ 86.60
B. N. Y. & P. R. R. Company	1,636.81
Buffalo Coal Company	39.18
Empire Transportation Company	25,737.67
Kendall & Eldred Railroad Co	496.00
McK. & B. R. R. Company	46.80
O. B. & W. R. R. Company	178.20
P. C. L. & P. Company	6,750.00
Producers Torpedo Company	262.50
United Pipe Lines	7,530.00
TAX ON GROSS RECEIPTS.	
B. N. Y. & P R. R.	1,735.88
K. & E. R. R. Company	995.04
McK. & B. R. R. Company	449.55
O. B. & W. R. R. Company	1,145.30
P. & E. R. R. Company	43,029.75
United Pipe Lines	20,798.88
BONUS ON CHARTER.	
Anchor Petroleum Company	34.18
Bradford Gas Light and Heating Co	80.00
Duke Center Gas Company	38.25
Forest Oil Company	125.00
Tarport and Kendall Gas Light and Heating Company	18.50
United Pipe Lines	2,500.00
TAX ON COAL COMPANIES.	
Buffalo Coal Company	1,899.78

On every deed, writ, will, etc., recorded the Prothonotary is required to pay to the State a tax of fifty cents. During 1879 ex-Prothonotary Sartwell paid on this account a *State* tax of $909.71. Prothonotary Brawley paid $1000.00.

Many people imagine that the hotel and liquor license fees form a portion of the revenue of the county. This is a mistake. Every penny of it goes to the State, and the county has to board the prisoners, paupers and lunatics. The Auditor General reports that County Treasurer Gallup paid into the State Treasury last year the following license fees:

Tavern Licenses	$7,368.75
Retailers' Licenses	1,583.77
Eating House Licenses	870.30
Brewers' Licenses	14.96
Billiard Licenses	681.25
Auctioneers' Licenses	4.75
Liquor Licenses	987.50
Total	$12,094.47

Reading Railroad Extension.

President Gowen, of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad, has for several days been in consultation with the Gould-Vanderbilt syndicate, endeavoring to secure a portion of the western trade for his road. His mission was successful and the Reading road is now in the pool.

The main object of the giant compact between the roads may be said to be the control of the immense grain and produce shipments from the West and the monopoly of their distribution for export in the seaport cities. The terminus of the Reading at Williamsport and its extension by the construction of a new road from that point to Salamanca, at the intersection of the Atlantic & Great Western Railroad and the Erie, is by no means a new thought, but was discussed as long ago as 1869, but was abandoned. Salamanca is again proposed by the trunk line combination to forge the link for its Philadelphia connection. Olean is also talked of as the terminus of the new branch road. The matter will be decided this week.

BRADFORD, BORDELL & KINZUA.

ENGINEERS SURVEY A ROUTE FOR THE NEW RAILROAD — MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS — FUTURE PROSPECTS.

Era of yesterday.

The projectors of the Bradford, Bordell & Kinzua railroad have started in with a determination to make the new line a success, and have already begun active operations. Yesterday the directors held a meeting in this city for the purpose of perfecting their organization and appointing committees to exercise supervision over certain details of the work. Among those present were Mr. Bissell, of Buffalo, attorney for the road, and Mr. Taylor, of the N. Y., L. E. & W. R. R. A number of contractors appeared before the board and expressed themselves ready to submit estimates of construction as soon as plans of the engineers were completed. It was then reported that two parties of surveyors were out running lines, one starting from a point on the Kendall & Eldred road this side of Sawyer and just beyond the Whipple farm and the other running from the city, both having Bordell City for their objective point. The management of the K. & E. R. R. have extended an invitation to the new company to branch out from their road to the Bordell terminus, thus relieving the K. & E. from the unpleasant consequence of having a competing line running into Bradford. The survey from this city is an independent one, running along the Kendall valley to Bordell. In the course of a week both parties of engineers will have returned and submitted a report as to the feasibility of either route, though it is probable that several surveys will be made ere the work of construction will actually begin.

As will be seen by the above important information, the Bradford, Bordell & Kinzua railroad promises to be an assured fact and this will be cheering intelligence to a vast number of people who are suffering from cramped transportation facilities. The immense aggregation of interest lying in the oil fields to the east and south of the city, which are as yet far removed from the lines of railroad imperatively demand an artery of commerce to carry supplies to the extremities. At first intelligence of the new project the public gave it some credence, but before trusting entirely to the expectation of its success waited for further developments, which have come at last. The fact that the engineers have entered upon their duty, that contractors are ready to make application for doing the work of construction and that the board of directors have appointed committees to push the enterprise with the utmost dispatch, is sufficient assurance that it will be carried out in the fullest manner.

Another meeting of the board of directors will be held in about ten days. At that time a choice of routes can be made, the labor of construction contracted for and other necessary details attended to. It is hoped that before the expiration of ninety days the road will be in complete working order.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Smethport High School, for week ending March 5, 1880.

The plan of this Roll is as follows:

At the beginning of each week the names of all the students of the High School are placed on this roll. If the *conduct*, the *refinement*, the *self respect*, and general *deportment* of the student have been such as is implied in the word "HONOR," that student is allowed a credit of *one*, for each such day, during the week, which, if perfect every day, will make the standing at the end of the week *five*, which is the highest number any one can obtain on this roll. On the other hand, for every *misdemeanor*, *neglect of duty*, or *violation of self respect*, *one* is deducted, and for *five* such failures the the name is dropped from this roll for the week. At the end of the term a *final roll* will appear, containing the names of those only who obtained the highest honors during the entire term:

Nellie Waller	5	Mary Waller	5
Minnie Caller	-4	Ethel Armstrong	-4
Mary Hamlin	5	Harry Knapp	5
Lelia Knapp	-4	Ada Brownell	5
Eva Callar	5	Willie DeGarmo	5
Levi Tubbs	3	Hena Richmond	-4
Ella Freeman	5	Ella Wright	-4
Flora Burlingame	-3	Mary Mullin	-4
Jennie Haskill	-1	May Mason	-4
Fred Brownell	-1	Harry Wagoner	5
Clayton Backus	-3	Gena Hamlin	-4
Thos. Hungerford	5	Ross McIntosh	5
Phenie Toadvin	-2	Alfred Kidder	3
Wm. Hubbard	4	Hattie Tubbs	5
Samuel Ramer	5	Clarence Moses	5
William Moses	-3	Millie Pattison	-3
Willis McIntosh	-1	Sarah McNulty	-3
John C. Mahoney	5	J. B. Keefe	5
Esther Barrett	5	Willie King	5
Elvira Wescott	5	Eva Bush	5
Harvey H. Mix	-4	Lelian Bush	5
Edward Tretton	-	Aline Hamlin	5
Libbie Freeman	5	West Shepard	5

-Have been lowered because of absence.

Our object in this is to raise the standard and dignity of the school. This, we believe, can only be done in proportion as the honor and self respect of students are elevated.

H. H. BARTHOLOMEW,
Principal.

A Correction.

SCIO, N. Y., March 6, 1880.

To the Editor of the Miner.

I saw in your paper of the 4th inst. an article in which there were some errors in the description of Messrs. Smith & Moore's mill at Farmers Valley. The Bran Duster and Purifier were manufactured by Messrs. Huntley, Holcomb & Heine, and the Smutter by Howes, Babcock & Co. Both parties are at Silver Creek. The stone and most of the gearing was furnished by Messrs. J. T. Noye & Sons, of Buffalo, N. Y. The Corn Sheller is warranted to shell and clean eighty bushels an hour. The Purifier and Bran Duster each cost $200, less 10 per cent. discount. The parties who did the work of putting in the machinery seem to have a very poor idea of its workings or your reporter did not fully understand. I have done all the planning and buying of the machines since October 1st. The object of the arrangements in dressing the flour is to make one straight grade and at the same time only make two products from the wheat, viz: flour and bran, having as little of the former in the latter as is possible and not any of the latter in the former. The chop or meal goes from the stone to first Reel and the bran and middlings are taken from the flour. The bran and middlings go to the Bran Duster. That removes all flour adhering to them and that is returned to bolt again, and the most of the flour from first reel is then passed to second reel and is rebolted, no bran going to second reel. The middlings and bran after going through the Bran Duster go to the Separating Reel, then middling to the Purifier and after being purified are spouted to Eye of Burr and reground. The above is a very minute description of the flour machinery. [illegible] that published they would probably get [illegible].

[illegible] W. Roys.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

HOW THE STANDARD OIL COMPANY IS TRYING TO CONTROL THE MANAGEMENT.

The Pittsburgh *Telegraph* of yesterday publishes a statement in reference to the Standard oil company which may develop matters of interest at the meeting of the Pennsylvania railroad company on next Tuesday. The *Telegraph* says:

It is rumored that the Standard oil company is again endeavoring to enlarge the sphere of its usefulness. It is said that the company has determined to oust the present board of directors of the Pennsylvania railroad company, and that it has been at work for months gathering up proxies. It is said that agents have been to the heavy English stockholders, while it is known that gentlemen connected with the Standard have been doing the same thing in this city and vicinity. Gentleman who hold a few shares of stock, and live in suburban towns, were sought by Standard agents accompanied by notaries, and the proxies obtained without much trouble. How much stock the Standard has obtained in this way is not to be conjectured. It is also reported that the present officers of the road were not aware of this movement at first, but discovered it some weeks ago, and since that time have been hard at work getting the stock they usually control.

Inquiring among bankers and railroad men shows that there is unusual activity among the friends of the present management in obtaining proxies and that a fight of some kind seems to be on hand. What the nature of the fight is was not generally known but it was thought by the bankers that it was merely the customary opposition to the existing order of things.

To Whom it May Concern.

Having disposed of the McKean County MINER newspaper and book and job printing office, I desire to pay all debts against the establishment up to the date of transfer of property. In order to do so I must request immediate payment of all accounts due for advertising and job printing up to the same date.

16-3t H. F. BARBOUR.

—It is estimated that there are 2,400 disorders to which the human frame is liable, such as coughs, colds, wounds, burns, bruises, catarrh, croup, swelled neck, loss of voice, asthma, &c. When a person is laid up with rheumatism, he is apt to think that the entire number has struck him in concert. Use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in all such cases; its effects are wonderful.

AN OPEN LETTER—IT SPEAKS FOR ITSELF.

WEST TOWNSHEND, VT.

MR. EDITOR:, Having read in your paper reports of the remarkable cures of catarrh, I am induced to tell "what I know about catarrh." and I fancy the "snuff" and "inhaling tube" makers (mere dollar grabbers) would be glad if they could emblazon a similar cure in the papers. For 26 years I suffered with catarrh. The nasal passage became completely closed. "Snuff," "dust," "ashes," "inhaling tubes," and "sticks" wouldn't work, though at intervals I would snuff up the so-called catarrh snuff, until I became a valuable tester for such medicines. I gradually grew worse and no one can know how much I suffered or what a miserable being I was. My head ached over my eyes so that I was confined to my bed for many successive days suffering the most intense pain, which at one time lasted continuously for 168 hours. All sense of smell and taste gone, sight and hearing impaired, body shrunken and weakened, nervous system shattered, and constitution broken, and I was hawking and spitting seven-eighths of the time. I prayed for death to relieve me of my suffering. A favorable notice in your paper of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy induced me to purchase a package, and use it with Dr. Pierce's Nasal Douche, which applies the remedy by hydrostatic pressure the only way compatible with common-sense. Well, Mr. Editor, it did not cure me in three-fourths of a second, nor in one hour or month, but in less than eight minutes I was relieved and in three months entirely cured, and have remained so for over sixteen months. While using the Catarrh Remedy, I used Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery to purify my blood and strengthen my stomach. I also kept my liver active and bowels regular by the use of his Pleasant Purgative Pellets. If my experience will induce other sufferers to seek the same means of relief, this letter will have answered its purpose. Yours truly. S. D. REMICK.

BUSINESS LOCAL.

A BAD CASE—CURED.

FREDONIA, N. Y., June 7, 1873.

DR. M. M. FENNER, Fredonia, N. Y.

Dear Sir.—I had been sick about eight years with an affection by physicians called Scrofula. My throat was a mattering sore. My palate had been eaten out, my nose, face, and forehead had discharging sores. My body and limbs had deep eating ulcers extending nearly to the bone. I was reduced in flesh to a mere skeleton. I was in this dreadful condition when I began the use of your Blood and Liver remedy and Nerve Tonic in 1869. I took it nearly a year, though to all appearances I was well within three months after beginning it. I feel as well and strong now as I ever did. Yours truly,

MRS. ANN ADAMS.

Dr. Fenner's Blood and Liver Remedy and Nerve Tonic may well be called "the conquering hero" of the times. It is the medical triumph of the age. Whoever has "the blues" should take it, for it *regulates* and *restores* the disordered system that gives rise to them. It always cures Biliousness and Liver Complaint, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Headaches, FEVER AND AGUE, SPLEEN ENLARGEMENTS, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Pimples, Blotches and ALL SKIN ERUPTIONS and BLOOD DISORDERS; Swelled Limbs and Dropsy; Sleeplessness, Impaired Nerves and Nervous Debility; Restores flesh and strength when the system is running down or going into decline; cures Female Weakness and Chronic Rheumatism, and relieves Chronic Bronchitis, and all Lung and Throat difficulties. It does these things by striking at the root of disease and removing its causes.

Dr. Fenner's Improved Cough Honey will relieve any cough in one hour. Try a sample bottle at 10 cents.

Dr. Fenner's Golden Relief cures any pain, as Tooth-ache, Neuralgia, Colic or Headache in 5 to 30 minutes, and readily relieves Rheumatism, Kidney Complaint, Diarrhoea, etc. Try a sample bottle at 10 cents.

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Make a Note of This.

When you want something to attend strictly to business, and cure ear ache, sore throat, pain in the chest, quinsy, pleurisy, rheumatism, etc., get Parmelee's Universal Liniment, the greatest pain destroyer known. It is warming and penetrating. As a family liniment it meets the wants of every household. A fair trial is all that is necessary to prove the astonishing curative properties of this invaluable remedy. Sample bottles 25 cents; large size, 50 cts. Sold by A. B. Armstrong, Smethport, Pa.

Don't Forget.

If you are suffering from any of the numerous diseases of the stomach, bowels or liver, it is your own fault if you remain so when you have at hand Parmelee's Blood Purifier, a sovereign remedy for all such ailments. Price $1 per bottle; sample bottles 15 cents. Sold by A. B. Armstrong, Smethport.

Shrewdness and Ability.

Hop Bitters so freely advertised in all the papers, secular and religious, are having a large sale, and are supplanting all other medicines. There is no denying the virtues of the Hop plant, and the proprietors of these Bitters have shown great shrewdness and ability in compounding a Bitters, whose virtues are so palpable to every one's observation.—*Ex.*

As Ice Disappears under a July Sun.

So that hacking cough disappears under the use of Hamilton's Cough Balsam. It soothes and heals the membrane of the lungs, it remedies the night sweats and tightness across the chest, and is universally declared to be the best balsam extant. Those having *uselessly* tried many other remedies are speedily relieved by *this*. Sample bottles, 25 cents; large size, 50 cents. Sold by A. B. Armstrong, Smethport.

Maine News.

Hop Bitters, which are advertised in our columns, are a sure cure for ague, biliousness and kidney complaints. Those who use them say they cannot be too highly recommended. Those afflicted should give them a fair trial, and will become thereby enthusiastic in the praise of their curative qualities.—*Portland Ad.*

Farmers get Fooled

when they buy Butter Powders and colored salts, and big bottles of cheap coloring stuff, if they expect to get as good a Butter Color as the Perfected Butter Color made by Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt. The others have tried to imitate the excellence of this, the original color, but have wholly failed.—Farmers should use only the "Perfected." Sold by Druggists and Merchants generally.

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Sickness and premature death are almost always due to violation of the laws that govern our physical being. It is strange so many people *will* suffer with dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation, sour stomach and general debility, when Parmelee's Dyspepsia Compound, that great remedy, is to be found in every drug store. Sample bottles 15 cents; large size, $1. Sold by A. B. Armstrong.

"My Back Aches So,

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—Sediment or mucus in the urine is a sure indication of disease. Take Kidney-Wort.

MARRIED.

STICKLES—WOOD.—At the residence of the bride's parents, on Thursday, March 4th, 1880, by Rev. Horace Maltby, Adelbert S. Stickles, of Smethport, and Miss Lizzie A. Wood, of Roulette, Pa.

New Advertisements.

AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY.

Bradford, Pa., March 8th, 1880.

W. A. HUTCHINSON,
Auctioneer.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the property as per list below, now remaining unclaimed, or otherwise, in offices of the American Express Co., at different points in the State of Pennsylvania, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at

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BRADFORD, PA.

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JAMES C. FARGO,
Gen'l Supt.

H. C. HACOCK, Agent.

BRADFORD, PA.

Anna Albright, Barr & M., O. F. Bemiss, Bradford Oil Co., J. M. Briscoll, R. W. Crocker, P. Conroy, J. Christy, H. S. Crains, Mrs. G. Cartright, W. Clark, Dalrymple Bros., R. S. Davis, Geo. Dunn, F. W. Dana, R. Gregg, Jennie Gaither, Helderman & Davis, W. Hood, A. R. Higbee, F. P. Hayes, M. Jarvis, Kern & J. Keller, F. Lincoln (2), J. S Larkin, Annie Lerch, E. Miller, F. Metcalf, H. Miller, G. P. Merwin, J. McGregor, A. M. McClennan, W. S. Montgomery, Miner & C. E. Mover, P. T. Ross, H. Rainy, Roberts & L., H. Smith, G. Vandewater, A. E. Wenberly, A. W. Wolf, W. N. Willson, W. & J. D. White, M. W. Wagner, Wheelock & Co., White & W.

CORRY, PA.

W. H. Brigham, Miss M. E. Bennett, W. L. Vanwert, W. P. Walton.

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M. W. Brundage, Butler, Hawray & Co., Bartlett & Sweett, J. F. Charles, J. Downs, S. Deign, B. O. Doon, J. Dewitt, R. W. Ellis, S. M. Gross, W. L. Hardeson, M. P. Hammond, M. D. Judkins, J. N. James, W. A. Johnson, H. E. Johnson, H. Lawler, J. L. McElhaney, R. Pettigrew, Russell H. & Co., E. Ripley, B. F. Snavilly.

EMPORIUM, PA.

A. D. Mayes, Geo. Hailler, J. Dorsey.

GILLMOR, PA.

E. Marsh, Mrs. F. Plymton, R. B. Simpson, M. K. Vandeer.

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J. Gulliford, G. W. Kibler, W. W. Phillips.

IRVINETON, PA.

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NORTH EAST, PA.

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PORT ALLEGANY, PA.

H. Heine (west Pike), L. D. Swift (wharton).

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SMETHPORT, PA.

Extract Co., S. A. Bishop, J. F. Davis, E. G. Hambleton.

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W. Brown, Bradley & Co., P. C. Chamberlain, F. E. Douglass, C. D. Dunham, M. Hall, I. Moses, S. L. Noham, I. B. Riddle, P. St. John.

WARREN, PA.

F. A. Beigon, J. W. Childers, W. Dunbar, C. A. Shultz. 16-18

Court Proclamation.

The Hon. HENRY W. WILLIAMS, President Judge, and the Hons. W. S. BROWNELL, and F. N. BURNHAM, Associate Judges of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of McKean, have issued their precept, bearing date Thursday, Feb. 27, 1880, and to me directed, for holding Courts of Oyer and Terminer and Quarter Sessions, in the Borough of Smethport on Monday, the 29th day of March, 1880, to continue one week.

Dated at Smethport, March 4, 1880, and the 104th year of the Independence of the United States of America.

R. SARTWELL, Sheriff.

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THANKING OUR PATRONS for past favors, we shall strive to deserve a continuance of their patronage by fair and honorable dealing

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Dr. A. S. Russel, of Marion, Wayne Co. N. Y., says:—"The wonderful success of Thomas' Eclectric Oil in all cases of acute and chronic inflammation, Catarrh, Bronchitis, Lame Back, Dysentery, &c., makes the demand for it very great."

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See what the Medical Faculty say:—Dr. J. Beaudoin, Hull, P. Q. says:—I have never sold a medicine which has given more thorough satisfaction. I have used it in my own case, on a broken leg and dislocated ankle, with the best results.

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Attorneys' Receipts,
Bond of Indemnity to Constable,
Bond—License,
Bond—Judgment,
Bond—Constables',
Bond of def't in att'chm't,
Bond for stay of exec't'n
Blank motion,
Commitments,
Constable's sale,
Collector's Sale,
Contract—Land,
Contract—Teachers,
Charters of Incorporation, with app.
Commission—Letter of Instruction,
Deed—Warranty,
Deed—Fi. Fa.
Deed—Quit Claim,
Declaration Common Counts (2 kinds,)
Execution,
Election Notice,
Foreign Attachment,
Leasehold Mortgages,
Lease—Oil (3 kinds,)
Lease—Land,
Mechanic's Lien,
Marriage Certificate,
Note—Judgment,
Notice of Protest,
Narr, with copy of account,
Oath & bond for att'at (writ
Petition for License,
Precipe,
Precipe for Summons,
Precipe & State'ts for judgt,
Precipe for Fi. Fa.,
Precipe for Sci. Fa.,
Precipe for Summons in Ass'p't
Plaintiff's Statement and Notice,
Plaintiff's Bond in Replevin,
Poor Orders,
Protests,
Record of Ju[illegible]ents and Liens,
Road Orders,
Summons,
Subpœnas,
Scire Facias to Revive Judgment,
Sheriff's Bill of Sale,
Statement for Judgment on Motion,
School Orders,
Transcript—Commonwealth,
Transcript—Civil,
Warrants,
Attachments for Witness,
Sci. Fa. upon Recognizance.

Cancers Cured.

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LINES OF TRAVEL.

McKEAN & BUFFALO RAILROAD Time table went into effect Monday, Dec. 8, 1879, at 8.40 o'clock a.m.

SOUTHWARD.

MAIL.—Leaves Larrabee 11.35 a. m., arriving at Frisbee 11.42; Cory's, 11.44*; Farmers Valley, 11.53; Smethport, 12.05 p.m., Crosby, 12.20*, Colegrove, 12.21; Hamlin, 12.27*, Werwag, 12.45*; Clermont, 12.57.

ACCOMMODATION, No. 6.—Leaves Larrabee 9.35 a.m., arriving at Frisbee 9.39†; Cory's 9.55*; Farmers Valley 9.47; Smethport 10.00.

LOCAL, No. 10, second class.—Leaves Larrabee 4.50 p.m., arriving at Frisbee 4.58†; Cory's 5.01*; Farmers Valley 5.13; Smethport 5.35; Crosby 5.41*, Colegrove 5.44†, Hamlin 5.46*, Werwag 5.48*, Clermont 6.15.

CLERMONT COAL, Second Class, No. 90.—Leaves Larrabee 3.35 a. m., arriving at Frisbee 3.39*, Cory's 3.50*, Farmers Valley 3.40†, Smethport 4.07, Crosby 4.15*, Colegrove 4.17†, Hamlin 4.21*, Werwag 4.30*, Clermont 4.45.

NORTHWARD.

EXPRESS, No. 1.—Leaves Clermont 5.03 a.m., arriving at Werwag at 5.10*, Hamlin 5.26*, Colegrove 5.31†, Crosby 5.34*, Smethport 5.48, Farmers Valley 5.59†, Cory's 6.06*, Frisbee 6.11†, Larrabee 6.16.

MAIL, No. 5.—Leaves Clermont at 1.32 p. m., arriving at Werwag 1.54*, Hamlin 1.57*, Colegrove 1.58, Crosby 1.59*, Smethport, 2.15, Farmers Valley 2.25, Cory's 2.37* Frisbee 2.39*, Larrabee 2.46.

ACCOMMODATION, No. 9.—Leaves Smethport, 10.00 a.m., arriving at Farmers Valley 10.15, Cory's 10.25*, Frisbee 10.30†, Larrabee 10.35.

BUFFALO COAL, No. 17.—Leaves Clermont at 6.40 p.m., arriving at Werwag at 6.55*, Hamlin 7.07*, Colegrove 7.11†, Crosby 7.15*, Smethport 7.31, Farmers Valley 7.42†, Cory's 7.53*, Frisbee 7.56†, Larrabee 8.00.

Trains will not stop at stations marked with a star (*). Trains will stop at stations marked thus (†) when flagged.

S. V. GODDEN,
Superintendent.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

Philadelphia & Erie R. R. Division

WINTER TIME TABLE.

On and after Sunday, NOV. 9th, 1879, the Trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad Division will run as follows:

WESTWARD.

ERIE MAIL leaves	Philadelphia	11.55 p.m
" "	Renovo	11 00 a.m.
" "	Emporium	1 15 p.m.
" "	St. Mary's	2 11 p.m.
" "	Kane	3 50 p.m.
"	arr. at Erie	7 55 p.m.

EASTWARD.

ERIE MAIL leaves	Erie	11.20 a. m.
" "	Kane	4 00 p.m.
" "	St. Mary's	5 27 p.m.
" "	Emporium	6 25 p.m.
" "	Renovo	8 40 p.m.
"	arr. at Philadelphia	7 00 a.m.

Wm. A. BALDWIN.
Gen'l Supt.

LEGAL.

Auditors' Report for 1879.

W. D. Gallup, Treasurer of McKean county, in account with Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for the year 1879:

RETAILERS' LICENSES.

To amount of License	$2475 00	
" subsequently granted	181 90	
" due Treasurer	343 49	2901 39
By deduct amount uncollected	192 00	
Treas. com. on $1000 @5 pr ct.	50 00	
" " 1 "	10 00	
" 837.90 ½ "	3 19	
State Treas. rec'pts July 10, '79,	2233 52	
" " Oct. 8, 1879	244 69	
Cost of advertising appraisers' list	248 00	2901 39

LIQUOR LICENSES.

To amount of License		1050 00
By bal due Treas. at last report	08	
com. on $1000 @ 5 per cent	50 00	
" 50 1 "	50	
St. Treas. rec'pts July 16, 1879	479 75	
" " April 3, 1879	478 75	
balance due commonwealth	1 90	1050 00

BREWERS LICENSE.

To amount of license		15 00
By com. on $15.00 @ 5 per cent	75	
St. Treas. rec'ts July 16, '79,	14 25	15 00

BILLIARD LICENSES.

To amount of licenses	940 00	
" subsequently granted	104 26	1054 26
By amount uncollected	231 00	
com. on $1000 @ 5 per cent	50 00	
" 54.26 1 "	54	
St. Treas. rec'pts July 16, 1879	540 50	
" " Dec. 27, 1879	2 14	
bal. due commonwealth	230 08	1054 26

BROKERS LICENSES.

To amount of license		9 25
By com. on $9.25 at 5 per cent	11	
balance due commonwealth	9 14	9 25

EATING HOUSE LICENSES.

To amount of license	900 00	
" due Treasurer	24 70	924 70
By am't due Treas. last report	28 50	
com. on $900 @ 5 per cent	45 00	
St Treas. rec'pts April 3, '79	180 50	
" " July 16, 79	670 70	924 70

HOTEL LICENSES.

To amount of license	7250 00	
" due Treas	40 75	7290 75
By am't due Treas. last report	49 75	
com. on $1000 @ 5 per cent	50 00	
" 1000 1 "	10 00	
" 5290 ½ "	26 25	
St. Treas rec'pt April 3, '79	2285 50	
" " July 16, '79	4670 25	
" " Oct. 8, '79	249 00	7290 75

CIRCUS LICENSES.

To amount of licenses		150 00
By com. on $150 @5	7 50	
balance due commonwealth	142 50	150 00

PAMPHLET LAWS.

To 20 copies		20 00
By com. on $20 @ 5 per cent	1 00	
balance due commonwealth	19 00	20 00

TAX ON LOANS.

To am't of bonds $1,459 at 2 mills	125 87	
balance due Treasurer	1 31	127 18
By com. on $125.87 @ 5 per cent	6 29	
St. Treas. rec'pt of Dec. 27, 79	120 89	127 18

We, the Auditors of McKean county, having examined the accounts and vouchers of W. D. Gallup, Treasurer of said county, in account with the Commonwealth for the year 1879, do find it as above stated.

Witness our hands and seals at Smethport, Pa., this 27th day of January A. D. 1880.

C. L. BELLOWS, [seal]
J. J. ROBARTS, [seal] Auditors
S. V. GODDEN. [seal]

W. D. Gallup, Treasurer of McKean county, in account with County, State, Watch, Dog, Bridge and Redemption funds of said county for the year 1879:

COUNTY FUND.

To amount charged Treasurer by Co. Commissioners	$29679 81	
seated tax collected for 74-5	216 43	
" " 77-8	2481 49	
" " '79	13322 04	
watch tax collected '77-8-9	129 97	
State " for '74-7-8-9	263 36	
Am't due Treasurer Gallup	8888 86	55189 73
By am't due Treas. last report	12769 70	
Orders paid over	41111 02	
com. on $43630 30 @ 3 pr. ct.	1308 91	55189 73

JAIL AND COUNTY BONDS.

To am't due funds, last report	11064 61	
" tax collected for '74-6-7-8-9	10083 36	21147 97
By bonds and coupons cancelled by Com'rs	3322 83	
com. on $10083 36 @ 3 pr. ct.	302 50	
Balance due fund	17522 64	21147 97

DOG FUND.

To am't due fund last report	122 57	
" tax collected '74-6-7-8-9	727 14	849 71
By orders canceled by Com'rs	641 81	
com. on 727.14 @ 3 per cent	21 81	
Balance due fund	186 09	849 71

BRIDGE FUND.

To amount tax collected		2833 90
By orders paid and canceled by Commissioners	280 06	
com. on 2833 90 @3 per cent	85 02	
Balance due fund	2468 82	2833 90

REDEMPTION FUND.

To am't due fund, last report	3220 56	
Lands redeemed and money paid to Treasurer	419 81	3640 37
By redemption order	448 18	
Balance due fund	3192 19	3640 37

RECAPITULATION

Of account of Treasurer Gallup with the several funds of McKean county for the year 1879.

Am't due Treas on Co. fund	$8880 86	
Balance due county	14087 75	$23057 41
To am't due Jail and Co. bonds	17522 65	
" " Dog Fund	186 59	
" " Bridge	2468 82	
" " Redemption Fund	3192 19	
" " Sergeant school	26 00	
" " Bradford road fund	80 00	
" " Eldred " "	112 00	
" " Lafayette " "	25 00	
" " Liberty " "	5 80	
" " Sergeant " "	20 00	
" " Norwich " "	86 70	23057 41

We the auditors of McKean county having examined the accounts and vouchers of W. D. Gallup, Treasurer of said county with the several funds of said county for the year 1879, do find the balances as above stated.

Witness our hands and seals at Smethport, Pa., this 27th day of January, A. D. 1880.

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J. J. ROBARTS, [Seal]
S. V. GODDEN, [Seal]

Roswell Sartwell, Sheriff of McKean county, in account with said county for the year 1879:

By boarding and washing prisoners for year 1879 @ $2.75 per week each		$2505 14
By 4 days filling jury wheel	10 00	
1 " drawing jury Feb term	2 50	
1 " " " " adj'd "	2 50	
1 " " " " adj'd May	2 50	
1 " " " June term	2 50	
1 " " " Sept "	2 50	
1 " " " " adj'd	2 50	
1 " " " Dec.	2 50	27 50
summoning 564 jurymen for '79		169 20
" 12 jurors and lists executing Tracy		25 60
Publishing election proclamation		1 00
Serving Treas. Wt's vs W. Lord	2 50	
" " R. K Pepper	3 50	
" " R J McMath	3 50	
Travel on " C W Koob	2 50	
" " Trumbower	2 50	
Attaching McMath's property on Treas. Warrant, June 10,	3 50	19 00
By conveying 25 prisoners to Western Penitentiary and Reform school, and expenses		398 14
By material furnished for jail and prisoners, as per vouchers presented and statement filed		476 96
By paid watchman for jail and prisoners as per receipts presented and statement filed.		333 40
By costs in Com'th cases as per statement filed in Com'rs office		254 87
By medical attendance on prisoners, as per Dr. Brown's bill presented and filed		109 00
		5629 89
To Co. orders drawn in his favor	2125 00	
Jury fees collected for 1879 as per statement filed	75 00	
Balance due sheriff	3429 89	5629 89

We, the auditors of McKean county, having examined the accounts and vouchers of Roswell Sartwell, sheriff of said county for the year 1879, do find balance as above stated so far as has come to our knowledge.

Witness our hands and seals at Smethport, Pa., this 31st day of January, A. D. 1880.

C. L. BELLOWS, [Seal]
J. J. ROBARTS [Seal]
S. V. GODDEN. [Seal]

N. W. Abbey, Commissioner, of McKean county, in account with said county for the year 1879.

By 227½ days on County business at $3	$682 50	
Expenses to Warren to view Court House	13 30	
Expenses to Buffalo to see architect	10 81	
Expenses to Eldred—view bridge	03	
Paid Fard Wright hauling lumber	25	
" 6 M shingles for jail kitchen	19 50	
" 4 window sash	1 40	
Expenses to Olean for desks, etc.	3 85	
Paid bal. Weston's lumber bill	6 00	$722 89
To Co. orders drawn in his favor	300 00	
Balance due Com'r Abbey	422 89	722 89

John G. Boyer, Commissioner of McKean Co., in account with said county for the year 1879:

By 152 days on Co. business, $3	456 00	
Exp. to Warren to view C. H.	14 40	
" Buffalo to see architect	10 81	
" several trips to Olean, Port Allegany, etc.	11 31	
Paid bal on lumber for jail	3 75	
" Freight " "	18 00	514 27
To Co. ord. drawn in his favor	380 00	
Balance due Com'r Boyer	134 27	514 27

W. J. Colegrove, Commissioner of McKean county, in account with said county for the year 1879:

By 110 days on county business	330 00	
Exp. to Warren to view C. H.	11 60	
" to Buffalo to see architect	7 08	
" Bradford	5 44	
" traveling different times home to Smethport	29 22	
To balance due Com'r Colegrove		383 34

We the auditors of McKean county having examined the accounts and vouchers of N. W. Abbey, John G. Boyer and W. J. Colegrove, Commissioners of said county for the year 1879 do find them as above stated.

Witness our hands and seals at Smethport, Pa., this 30th day of January, A. D. 1880.

C. L. BELLOWS, [Seal]
J. J. ROBARTS, [Seal]
S. V. GODDEN [Seal]

Commissioners' Statement.

Annual Financial Statement of the Commissioners of McKean county for the year 1879.

COURT JURORS AND OFFICERS.

Grand and Traverse Jurors	$5602 77	
Boarding jurors	113 50	
Tipstaves and court crier	388 75	
Stenographer to the court	681 80	
Court printing and advertising	481 50	
Cleaning Court House	18 88	
Jury Commissioners and clerk	177 05	
Repairing, refurnishing and painting old Court House	498 88	
Use of M. E. Church for court room, on account	60 00	$8129 78

COM. COSTS, INQUESTS & LEGAL EXPENSES.

Commonwealth Costs	3311 41	
Justice fees	151 09	
Constable returns	196 90	
Coroners Inquests	362 11	
County detective	125 00	
Judgment costs and expenses, Foland and Stevens vs. Com'rs of McKean County	17 50	
Henry King, legal services 76-7-8	400 00	
S. W. Smith, Dist. Att'ys fees	971 77	
Extra services " Com vs Tracy	334 10	
" Att'ys "	275 00	
Additional Comm'rs counsel	25 00	6415 99

STATE TAX AND LOANS.

State tax for 1878	418 80	
" " 1879	418 80	
" " on loans	181 89	1019 49

SHERIFF AND JAIL.

Sheriff Sartwell on account	2125 00	
Ex sheriff King balance due	2407 21	
Repairing and addition to jail and sheriff's residence	1570 29	
Steam heating and plumbing same, on account	5363 41	
Dr. Freeman, jail physician on account	37 40	
Dr. E. G. Brown, professional attendance	55 50	
Watching prisoners, month of Dec. 1878	24 00	
Repairing reservoir	24 75	19608 06

PRISONS AND HOSPITALS.

Western State Penitentiary	238 66	
Penn's Reform School	148 86	
" State Lunatic Hospital	139 35	
Western Penn'a "	370 50	
Dixmont Hospital	62 90	960 27

PROTHONOTARY FEES, &C.

Pro. Brawley miscellaneous fees	90 60	
Ex. Pro. Sprague, bal. due	50 90	
Books & printing for Pro. Office	430 85	
Auditing accts of Proth'y	15 00	587 35

BRIDGES AND ROAD VIEWS.

Repairing and Painting bridges	444 45	
Road views and damages	443 32	887 77

ASSESSMENT AND REGISTRY.

Taking assessment and registration of voters		2190 04

ELECTIONS.

Election expenses		1000 97

NEW COURT HOUSE.

Expenses preparatory to building new Court House	182 70	
Building temporary Prothonotary and Comm'rs offices	360 56	
M. E. Beebe, architect, on acc't	800 00	1343 26

COM'RS OFFICE AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Commissioner Abbey on acc't	380 00	
" Boyer	390 00	
" Clerk Barbour on acct	432 06	
Ex " Gallup bal 1878	184 06	
" " Hunker	63 40	
" " Young "	21 65	
Fuel for county buildings	549 77	
Fox bounties	51 80	
Purdon's Digest, 5 volumes	18 00	
Pigeon hole cases for Co. offices	70 30	
Hardware sundries, bal. from '78	34 35	
Express and freight	54 98	
Advertising for Com'rs office	234 50	
Books and printing for " stationery	51 65	
Postage, telegraphing and office sundries	39 43	
Extra clerk hire	30 00	
County Treasurers seal	6 00	
County Auditors and clerk	132 24	
Teachers Institute	50 12	
Taxes refunded	8 64	
Interest on non-coupon bonds	87 00	3430 00

McKEAN COUNTY, ss:

We, the undersigned Commissioners of said county, do hereby certify the above to be true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

N. W. ABBEY, }
JOHN G. BOYER, } Com'rs
W. J. COLEGROVE }

Attest:
H. F. BARBOUR, Clerk.

STATEMENT

Of account with the several Collectors of County Tax for the year 1879 and previous.

TOWNSHIPS AND BOROUGHS.	COLLECTORS.	Y'R.	AMOUNT CH'D.	AMOUNT DUE.
Bradford Township	L. B. Prosser	1875	$10063 19	$ 4163 19
Otto Township	R. K. Pepper	1879	935 10	314 48
Smethport Borough	R. V. Chadwick	1878	887 51	129 51
Wetmore Township	Robert Lafferty	1878	701 61	51 87
Annin Township	John Kinney	1879	1140 58	110 63
Bradford City	G. W. Moorehouse	1879	7380 08	1700 09
Bradford Township	Geo. Martin	1879	12795 08	10884 08
Ceres Township	O. P. Coon	1879	1270 80	890 80
Corydon Township	E. A. Colburn	1879	465 12	settled
Duke Center Borough	S. M. Fletcher	1879	2475 65	475 65
Eldred Township	Benj. Cummings	1879	2704 70	2114 34
Hamlin Township	J. E. R. White	1879	481 00	216 00
Hamilton Township	Lyman Palmiter	1879	910 25	550 70
Keating Township	Thomas Hussey	1879	2820 04	settled
Kendall Borough	Levi Seeward	1879	3505 31	1963 61
Lafayette Township	A. Anderson	1879	2167 57	497 57
Liberty Township	W. E. Smith	1879	2306 05	settled
Norwich Township	Ira Burdick	1879	780 50	127 50
Otto Township	W. W. McColl	1879	2069 48	1069 48
Sergeant Township	J. B. Shoemaker	1879	733 40	settled
Smethport Borough	F. J. Vickery	1879	1494 96	settled
Wetmore Township	O. D. Coleman	1879	874 91	117 91

NOTE.—The amounts due are subject to reductions at final settlement by exonerations and commissions.

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11- JEREMIAH CHADWICK.

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LEGAL.

IN THE ORPHANS COURT OF McKEAN County. Estate of John Newcomer, dec'd.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans Court to audit the account of W. I. Lewis, administrator, and make distribution of the money in his hands, will perform the duties of his office on Monday, March 29th, at 7 o'clock p. m. at the office of P. Ford, Esq., in the borough of Smethport, Pa., at which time and place the parties interested may appear and present their claims.

15-18 N. M. ORR, Auditor.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT OF McKEAN COUNTY, PA. In the matter of the estate of John Newcomer, deceased.

January 15th, 1880, motion in open Court for the appointment of an auditor to distribute the funds in the hands of W. I. Lewis, administrator, of same estate.

Granted and T. A. Morrison, appointed auditor. BY THE COURT.

Notice is hereby given, that I will attend to the duties of the above appointment at my office, in the borough of Smethport, McKean county, Pa., on Monday the 5th day of April, A. D. 1880, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time and place all parties interested may attend and be heard, and present their claims, or be debarred from coming in for a share of said funds.

T. A. MORRISON,
15 44 Auditor.

Treasurer's Sales.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That the sale of Unseated Lands for Taxes in arrear, will commence at the County Commissioners office in Smethport, on Monday, the Fourteenth day of June, A. D. 1880, at 10 o'clock a. m., and be continued from day to day until the following described tracts of land, or a sufficient part thereof to pay the taxes due on the same, be sold, to wit:

ANNIN.

Wt's	sub	Acres	Names	Tax
		30	F F Arnold	$ 6 48
3343		37	E M Alvord	7 98
2213		52	do	11 28
		25	do	5 40
3445		50	Charles Bell	10 80
		41	John H Boucher	8 07
2145 } 2146 }		35	E W Burr	7 56
		96	James Campbell	20 74
15		105	C J Chamberlain	22 68
		100	Cornelius Riley	21 60
2146		25	C A Dailey	5 40
		58	John Beasle	12 53
		325	Kellither estate	70 20
		27	Joseph Mullin	5 83
		75	Jer. Mahony	16 20
		25	Samuel Lillibridge	5 40
2146		75	A N Lillibridge	16 20
2140		41 3-10	do	8 92
		190	James O'Neill	41 04
2145		25	R Vanderhule	5 40
3443		85	Bulmer & Co	18 36
3444		120	do	25 92
3444		12 8-10	Thos. McMahon	2 71
2177		25 9-10	Peter Cawley	5 61
2229 } 2230 }		26 6-10	Caleb B Roberts	5 81
2177		18 2-10	John Cawley	4 00
2145		25	Rosina Smith	5 40
2245		23 8-10	Rachel Chase	5 18
2158		52 5-10	Holcomb & Peabody	11 36
2221		25	James Dunn, Jr	5 40
2146		47 8-10	Chas. A. Dailey	10 37
2145		44 5-10	Kitie Chase	9 62

Returned from Seated.

Wt's	sub	Acres	Names	Tax
		35	Henry Chase	75
		40	Ben. Stone	1 20
		40	Peter Gany	1 18
		42	Charles Bishop	4 75
		35	John Dodd	1 40
		85	Henry Riley	50
		60	Jerry Riley	65
		85	E D Chase	2 26

BRADFORD.

Wt's	sub	Acres	Names	Tax
4005	12			
3305	14	318	Isaac Willetts	450 29
3338		50	P. J. Chamberlain	70 80
3339		50	M A Chamberlain	70 80
3336		57½	Dingman	81 06
3334		57½	James O'Neill	81 06
3335		57½	H N Howell	81 06
3191	103	108	A J Wheeler	25 02
	75	87	A M Taylor estate	15 01
	100	81	do	19 12
3319	305			
3318	394	230	J F Clark	325 08
3350	450	57	P L Webster	80 71
3350	450	50	Jeff Tierney	30 08
3305		101	Cromwell, Hanson & Co	20 60
3301		124	Enos Parsons	175 58
3307		100	do	141 60
3347		139	Olean Lumber Co	190 18
3420		1100	Henry W Rogers	259 60
3442		50	A Prentiss	70 80
	447	200	North W. Min'g Co	47 20
3493		701	do	165 43
3496		1040	do	245 44
3499		600	do	141 30
3421		1183	do	279 56
3428		1000	do	236 00
3429		401	do	140 90
3296	447	100	do	23 60
3298		88	Thos Bradley & Co	20 77
3298		108	Foster & Vanscoy	25 48
3429		86	Lee & Co	20 30
3497 } 3507 }		114	Dan Lafferty	161 42
3428		530 4-5	Bradford Oil Co	751 60
3430		494	do	699 50
3349		61	do	86 37
3396		141	do	199 05
3313 } 3306 }		100	W M Newell estate	23 60
3321		40	do	9 44
3430		100	Joseph Morris	23 60
3315		140	Geo. V Foreman	33 04
3319		193 7-10	do	45 70
4321		200	do	47 20
2293		901	Moody & Hubbell	236 79
2295		191	do	45 07
2294		1150	do	271 40
3321		352	do	83 07
3333		385	do	90 86
3339		979	do	231 04
4336		1104	L D Wetmore	260 00
4330		700	do	165 20
4337		1100	do	259 60
4338		1100	do	259 60
4330		1100	do	259 60
3317		161 3-5	Enterprise Trans. Co	38 23
4404		300	do	70 80
3119		104 66-100	Quartette Oil Co	24 78
3319 } 3335 }		132 29-100	E O Emerson	31 51
4917		1100	Chas Rathbone & Co	259 60
3311		1100	do	259 60
3424		1100	do	259 60
3431		1100	do	241 60
3422		500	do	139 18
3349		74 55-100	Loomis, Beggs & Brundell	17 76
3317		50½	Chapin, Switzer & Allen	11 91
3317		50½	W H L Smith	11 92
3497		48 1-5	do	39 98
3317		30 94-100	Chapin & Howard	7 08
3497		41 3-10	Thayer	31 11
3497		34 78-100	Parks, Huzzard & Co	25 79
3497		32 2-10	Tew & Co	20 07
		100	Bradley Lot	23 60
4009		50	B Brown	11 80
4008		100	K H Schoonmaker	82 02
3414		75	Crofts & Buttrick	61 96
3191		46	Warren Kellog	10 86
3319		39	Haskill & Odell	42 46
3436		50	Frank Williams	11 80
3340		30	do	7 08
3430		10	E C Sprague	2 36
3407		128	Bradley I Taylor	29 57
3306		¼	do	71
3358		30	do	48 66
3313 3309 3307 3304 3310		2119	do	3080 50
3306		40	Tait & Howard	96 68
3296	448	44	Roberts & Lockwood	10 10
4306	465		A T Newell	
	468		do	
	469		do	
	470		do	
	471		do	
	472	108 9-10	do	418 11
3309	344	60	D Kingsbury estate	14 16
3430	490 }			
3424	390 }	130	do	30 60
3191		48½	A Whipple	11 48
4007		46 57-100	M Hulings	64 55
4006		46 34-100	Evans & Coddington	64 80
4108		24 50-100	Hux & Dilworth	31 96
4008		10	Page & McCormick	14 16
4008		12	C Wilder & Warner	17 00
4038		30	Hepburn & Goetle	36 22
4008		12 5-100	John Lowe	17 70
4008		12 5-100	A R Martin	17 70
4008		15	John H Browning	21 24
4008 } 4007 }		40	Patterson & Kemp	56 64
4008		30	J Sullivan & Nessie	28 32
40 8		10	E A Fritz	14 16
4008		22 5-100	William Harrop	31 86
4008		22 5-100	Henry E. Picket	31 86
4008		25 11-100	H F Hutchinson	35 52
4008		10	Miller & Gable	14 16
4008		10	W G Banks	14 16
4008		75	J B McDonald	31 25
4038		25	Roy & Styles	35 40
4008		20 5-100	McBride	29 08
4008		20 36-100	Palmer & Smiley	28 45
4020		20	Barry	28 32
4028		25	Howes & Eaton	35 40
4008		10	Geo H. Pease	14 16
4008		10	S S Spaulding	14 16
4002		10	E I Strait	14 16
3300 } 3307 }		761	H L Taylor & Co	67 40
3296		97	do	23 00
3330 } 3323 }		1466½	do	3070 50
3310		7½	do	10 66
3308		12½	do	17 72
3308		343	do	485 60
2285		165	do	373 20
3342		94	Joseph M Tait	22 18
3342		40	Book & Howe	18 88
3347		20	do	4 72
3306		334	W W Brennan	473 04
3350		475	do	480 77
3453		390	do	300 04
3307	317	910	do	1288 56
3304	31	1240	do	1761 32
3337		124	do	175 57
3308		60	do	94 56
4009		129	do	179 75
3116		116	do	167 60
3305		140	Unknown	128 56
3296	400	60	do	90 16
3290	448	50	do	72 51
3290	430	57	do	47 66
4344		200	do	47 20
4344		31	do	7 32
4344		30	do	7 08
4344	81	15	do	3 54
4344	36	13	do	3 12
3293		3	do	5 61
3306		34	do	39 35
3338		140	do	33 04
4070		75	do	17 70
3290	9	47	do	39 85
2396	444	68	do	54 21

CERES.

Wt's	sub	Acres	Names	Tax
4329		97	J R Archibald	22 31
4329		108	do	24 84
4329		169	do	38 64
4325		112	do	25 76
3440		25	Charles Bell	5 75
3151 } 3445 }		20	do	4 60
4330		100	do	23 00
3140		100	do	23 00
4330		116	do	27 00
2195 } 2205 }		80	do	20 40

	305	75	H E St John	17 00
	180	115	M Beathrow	25 45
	286	64	Margaret Staples	31 16
3312 } 3313 }		100	M M Shults	25 90
3225		38 1-4	do	24 12
	426	225	L A Small	36 79
	334	112 1-4	J D Stiles	25 25
	158	225	Fred Phillips	36 79
	260	225	Joseph Sager	36 79
3741		900	Thos L Kane	249 48
3207		900	do	249 48
3062		900	do	249 48
3090		900	do	249 48
4132		900	do	249 48
4131		900	do	249 48
3132		725	do	199 00
3125		360	do	99 85
3166		445	do	115 30
3210		300	do	75 00
3218		409	do	106 60
3175		330	do	83 16
3167		600	do	154 50
3164		640	do	166 70
3126		650	do	169 32
3153		335	do	94 50
3212		900	do	249 48
3212		900	do	249 48
3215		900	do	249 48
3176		475	do	170 56
3172		900	do	249 48
2366	342	225	G F Fisher	36 35
	321	112 1-3	Calvin Moore	26 53
	370	112 1-3	J C Patterson	36 79
	333	225	L D Hoffman	36 79
	334	225	do	56 79
2563	239	225	H. M Payne	

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House and lot - M N Powell 1 39

W. D. GALLUP, Treasurer.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Smethport, Pa. March 1, 1880.